

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
LAS CRUCES, NEW MEXICO

APR 28 2025

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

**GRACIELA GUTIERREZ-SANTIZ,**

Defendant.

MITCHELL R. EIFFERS  
CLERK OF COURT

NO. **25-908 MJ**

Count 1: 8 U.S.C. §1325(a)(1):

Illegal Entry Without Inspection

Count 2: 50 U.S.C. § 797:

Penalty for Violation of Security

Regulations

INFORMATION

The United States Attorney charges:

Count 1

On or about April 25, 2025, in Doña Ana County in the District of New Mexico, the defendant, **GRACIELA GUTIERREZ-SANTIZ**, who was then and there an alien, did knowingly and unlawfully enter into the United States from the Republic of Mexico, at a place not designated as a lawful Port of Entry by immigration officials of the United States for the entrance of immigrants into the United States.

In violation of 8 U.S.C. § 1325(a)(1).

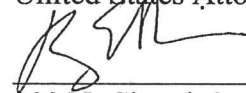
Count 2

On or about April 25, 2025, in Doña Ana County in the District of New Mexico, the defendant, **GRACIELA GUTIERREZ-SANTIZ**, willfully violated the order issued on April 18, 2025, by the U.S. Army Garrison Fort Huachuca military commander designating the New Mexico National Defense Areas, also known as the Roosevelt Reservation, as both a restricted area and a

controlled area under Army Regulation 190-13, prohibiting the unauthorized entry into the New Mexico National Defense Areas, a defense property security regulation.

In violation of 50 U.S.C. § 797.

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